

## COURT AUTOMATION COORDINATING COMMITTEE

A Subcommittee of the Commission on Technology

Thursday, July 24, 2014  
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

ARIZONA SUPREME COURT  
1501 W. Washington  
Phoenix, AZ 85007



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### MEMBERS PRESENT

Cathy Clarich  
Julie Dybas  
Donald Jacobson  
Christopher Hale\*  
Phillip Knox  
Rona Newton  
Ron Overholt\*  
Michael Pollard\*, *Chair*  
Janie Randall\*

### GUESTS

Charles Drake\*, *PCCJC*  
Randy Smiley\*, *Phoenix Muni*

### MEMBERS ABSENT

Kip Anderson  
Chad Roche  
Paul Thomas

### AOC STAFF

Heather Barton, *ITD*  
Stewart Bruner, *ITD*  
Denise Lundin, *CSD*  
Karl Heckart, *ITD*  
Tina Knezovich-Hladik, *ITD*  
Lou Ponesse, *ITD*  
Jim Price, *ITD*  
Jason Shumberger, *ITD*

\* indicates appeared by telephone

## **WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS**

Judge Michael Pollard, Chair, called the Court Automation Coordinating Committee (CACC) meeting to order shortly after 10:00 a.m. After confirming that a quorum existed, the chair called attention to the minutes of the June 19, 2014 CACC meeting in members' packets.

**MOTION:** A motion was made and seconded to accept the minutes of the June 19, 2014 CACC meeting. The motion passed unanimously.

## **STATEWIDE TECHNOLOGY REFRESH PROJECT UPDATE**

Tina Knezovich-Hladik, Technology Refresh Project Manager, informed members that the rollout to courts will likely begin in August with Pinal then progress through Yuma, Coconino, and Yavapai Counties. A technical issue still needs to be resolved before the rollout can get underway. Preparations are already in process with technical resources from courts in Pinal County.

## **REVIEW OF CHANGES TO MINDMAP THIS MONTH**

Staff member Stewart Bruner informed members of the few changes to the MindMap since last month, all in the eUniversa area. The TBDs in limited jurisdiction (LJ) AJACS areas remain. Members were provided the updated priority projects table for reference.

## **PROJECT UPDATE: LJ CMS NEXT STEPS**

Karl Heckart detailed the rapid actions taken by AOC following AmCad's announcement on June 23 that it was exiting the case management system business immediately. As a result of negotiations, AOC now has obtained all the AiCMS source code and contracted with a team of developers formerly employed by AmCad to complete the undelivered patches for AJACS as well as the eUniversa integration points. They are also continuing to address bugs discovered during LJ CMS testing. The ITD Enterprise Architecture group has been streamlining the source code down to only what Arizona needs and is now able to compile it internally. Karl warned that other courts that were customers of AmCad are scrambling to recruit programmers to support and enhance their installed versions of the CMS, as well. Karl estimated the schedule cost to be 2 weeks for GJ patches, a month for eUniversa, and approximately 30 days for Mesa at this point. He added that service level agreements for large volume LJ courts are becoming a focus of attention now that AOC rather than the vendor will be managing support.

In answer to a question, Karl stated that AmCad still has developers working on eUniversa and eAccess but is looking to sell the rights to its various non-CMS products to another company. He has negotiated the right for AOC to use the software code currently in escrow in the event a contract breach occurs. He clarified that any software code AOC takes over from AmCad is for use within Arizona courts only, but that consortiums may be forming of customers from various states in a bid to continue support for their installed software.

## **POST-IMPLEMENTATION REPORTS**

There were no recent implementations to report.

## **ITEMS OF OLD OR NEW BUSINESS**

There were no items of old or new business.

The next meeting will take place in **Room 230** of the **State Courts Building** on **August 28, 2014 at 10 AM**.

The meeting adjourned at 10:30 a.m.